

# Maui County Code 3.48.325:

"The purpose of this code is to encourage the owners of lands, which are situated within the agricultural district, suitable for agriculture, to put that land to agricultural uses on a sustained basis, and to discourage (by tax recapture) the conversion of such lands or the reduction or subdivision of agricultural land parcels to less than reasonable economic size."

(MCC 3.48.325 Rules & Regulations)



# **AGRICULTURAL USE**

Per Maui County Code 3.48.325 and the Rules & Regulations of the Director of Finance:

- "Lands actually put to agricultural use, adhering to acceptable standards to produce crop, specific livestock, including ranching use."
- "Crops are in cultivation and farm management efforts, such as weed or pruning control, plowing, including housing, fencing and water facilities for livestock and pasturing of animals are clearly evident."

## AGRICULTURAL USE:

Agricultural Use does not include nor apply to areas used primarily as yard space, setbacks, or open

landscape associated with residential use, planted with fruit and ornamental trees, flowers and vegetables primarily for home use.





## What we look for:

# **Diversified Use**

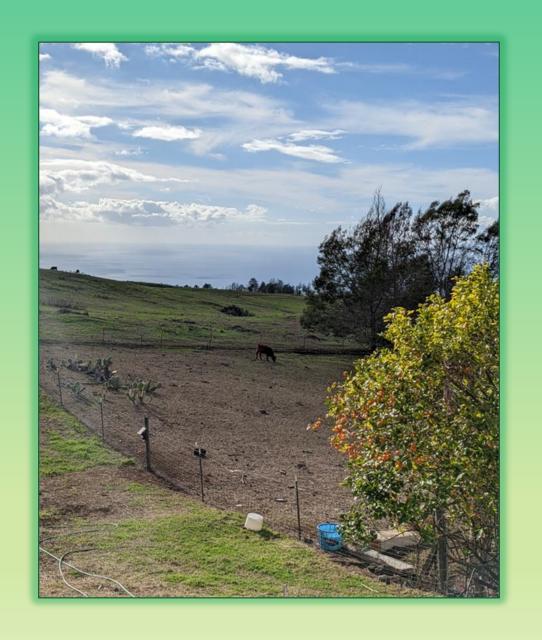
- Crops planted in rows
- Irrigation system
- Crops are well-maintained and not overgrown



- Harvesting/marketing schedule
- Evidence such as an IRS Schedule F (Profit or Loss from Farming), sales receipts, GET license

# Pasture Use Q

- Fencing, water and shelter
- Pasture rotation/marketing schedule
- Evidence such as an IRS
   Schedule F, GET license,
   farm insurance and/or lease
   agreement with a rancher



## **Diversified Use:**

Farming equipment

Employees





**EXAMPLES** &



### **Diversified Use:**

- Healthy crops in neat rows
- Watering system





- Pruning/plowing
- Weed control



# **Diversified Use:**

Orchard





#### **AERIAL IMAGERY**



# Pasture Use:



**EXAMPLES** 



## Pasture Use:

- Completely Fenced
- Water and shelter for animals







# Mahalo!







**Compliance & Enforcement Section**